

# WORKFORCE SYSTEMS BUILDING

## UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE DIRECTORS' MEETING

REGION I  
Saratoga Springs, New York

**Tuesday, May 9, 2006**

**9:00 a.m.**

### ***Welcome and Introductions***

- Dennis Ryan - Executive Deputy Commissioner  
New York Department of Labor
- Joseph Stoltz - Regional Director  
Office of System Performance - National Office Update

### ***Regional Office Update***

- Timothy Martin - Division Chief  
Division of Workforce Security

### ***Break***

### ***ITSC and NASWA UI Committee updates***

- Laura Boyett - Maine UI Director, NASWA Committee member
- Raymond Filippone - Rhode Island UI Director, ITSC Steering Committee

### ***National Judicial College - Online Adjudications Training***

- Joseph R. Sawyer - NJC Project Manager
- William Callahan - UI Program Manager 1 - New York  
Department of Labor/Developer - Faculty Member - NJC Training
- Deborah Filkins - LSR - New York  
Department of Labor/Student - NJC Training

### ***State-of-the-States (approximately 20 minutes each)***

#### ***UI Directors to provide updates on hot issues involving their states, including:***

- Steps states are taking to improve performance, particularly as it relates to GPRA and core measures;
- Efforts states have undertaken to improve the integrity of their program (i.e., SUTA Dumping, crossmatches, etc.);
- Status/Lessons learned involving the states' Supplemental Budget Request projects;
- Efforts involving reemployment of UI claimants;
- Legislation;
- Succession Planning;
- Promising practices.

**12:00 p.m.      *Lunch (Provided)***

***Stat-of-the-States (continued)***

***Break***

***Stat-of-the-States (continued)***

***Unemployment Insurance Program Update***

Cheryl Atkinson - Administrator

US Department of Labor/Employment and Training Administration

Office of Workforce Security

**5:00 p.m.      *Adjourn***

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**9:00 a.m.      *Electronic Payments***

- Robert Davison – New York UI Director

***Case Management (Adjudications)***

- Raymond Filippone – Rhode Island UI Director
- Valerie Rickert – Vermont UI Director

***National Directory of New Hires***

- Tina McQuiggan – Connecticut UI Operations Coordinator

***Break***

***Federal UI Updates – RO staff***

**12:00 p.m.      *Lunch (Boxed Lunch)***

**1:00 p.m.      *Troy Telephone Call Center Visit***



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